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In re Application of	:	
Richard L. Dunn et al	:	
Application No. 10/634,656	:	DECISION ON PETITION
Filed: August 5, 2003	:	
Attorney Docket No. 1195.323US1	:	


This is a decision on the petition, filed April 16, 2008, which is being treated as a petition under 37 CFR 1.8(b), requesting withdrawal of the holding of abandonment in the above-identified application.

The petition is **GRANTED**.

Petitioner states that a timely reply was mailed via certificate of mailing on February 11, 2008, which included the following papers: Request for Continued Examination (RCE) and fee; Applicant Arguments / Remarks; Information Disclosure Statement; and Request to Reopen Prosecution. Petitioner has submitted a copy of the previously mailed correspondence, which bears a certificate of mailing dated February 11, 2008.

The petition satisfies the above requirements of 37 CFR 1.8(b). Accordingly, the holding of abandonment is hereby withdrawn and the application restored to pending status.

This application is being referred to Technology Center AU 3767 for appropriate action in the normal course of business on the reply received with petition.

  
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